### **Broken Hill Public School**

# Central Preschool



## Newsletter

Term 3, Week 5- 2018



#### Have a Spectacular Week!!

### Book Week '2018 Theme'



This week in Preschool and the wider school community we are celebrating book week. We have been focusing on the interest of pirates which ties in perfectly with the theme.

Preschool enjoyed getting creative and decorating the treasure chests with gold paint, glitter and sparkles to be the special treasure!

We look forward to our school Book Week Parade. All children and families are welcome! Session One children are more than welcome to attend and sit with Preschool, we ask that parents/carers stay with the children during this time.

After the parade, the P&C are putting on a BBQ. If you would like to take your children to the BBQ, please sign them out with the Preschool staff before the BBQ. Any children not signed out will return to Preschool.

Thank you for your support for a wonderful week!

What are your special treasures? Enjoy finding treasures in books you read!

#### **Newsletter Joke**

What is a pirate's favourite subject at school?

### **Highlights in Preschool**

Year 3 came to visit Preschool last week to perform their Eisteddfod Verse Speaking for us. We are very impressed by their talents. To follow on from the performance, we were delighted to welcome Year 3 to have a play in Preschool with us.

ICT: We have been building on our turn taking, team work and Literacy and Numeracy skills by using the SMART interactive table.

The children have been engaged and displaying enthusiasm during this time. We have been focusing on colours, numbers and missing numbers, counting, number recognition and even linking games to our interest in shopping. What do you and do not buy at a supermarket?

During ICT time, the children have been working on their ability to take turns, wait, encourage others and helping each other. These are very important skills to learn for Preschool, transitioning into school and life.

We encourage you to reinforce these skills at home or your day to day life and emphasise them with your children. Examples: waiting in line at the supermarket or sharing toys at home.

A lovely Preschool community moment was when a child in Session Two showed her Coles mini's book for News. Many parents/carers were there and they went to their cars to get some of the missing mini's for the child. Thank you for your kindness!

### **Upcoming Events**

Thursday August 23<sup>rd</sup>: Book Week Parade Friday August 31<sup>st</sup>: Father's Day breakfast. **All welcome at both events.**